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For: ETHERNET COMMUNICATIONS FOR  
POWER MONITORING SYSTEM

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**RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION DATED MARCH 27, 2008**

MS Amendment  
Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
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Dear Sir:

**INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS**

This is in response to the Office Action dated March 27, 2008, and this paper is being submitted within three months from that date, i.e., by June 27, 2008. Please consider the following amendments and enter the following remarks into the record for this application.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 9 of this paper.